Awarded Second Place at trade the Presbyterian Seminary.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS VICTORY.

President of the Union Theological Seminary Says the Case Marks an Epoch.

YOUNG WOMAN CANNOT PREACH.

is a Tenet of the Church That Women Shall Still Keep Silence in the Congregation.

at a meeting of the faculty of the Union eventieth street and Park avenue Miss milie Grace Briggs was awarded the sec-I place in the graduating class of 1897. Miss Briggs is the daughter of Professor harles Briggs, and she is the first woman the has ever been graduated from a Presresbyterian Church of the United States nd in the history of the advancement of

When we consider," continued Profes-Hastings, "how conservatively 'blue' Presbyterian theological seminaries are, nd then consider that one of these semnaries has opened its doors to women, we dist certainly admit that the cause of rights has gained a most notable ere of such a high order of excellence would have been placed equal with Mussey, the first graduate who stained the '97 fellowship, had it not been fact that she spent four years minary, whereas our rules require ho have made the course in three years. hough she is now the graduate of a Preshe Presbyterians still require women to eep silence in the church. But though she sons, and the faculty pronounce them most | J

'And by the way." President Hastings entinued, "Miss Briggs is by no means the aly woman who is at our seminary. Last Fail fourteen young women were entered to attend our Biblical class for the purpose of pursuing a course of higher Biblical in-

## LOOKS FOR A CONFESSION.

Recent Statements Made by Mate Bram, Who Was Convicted of the Mur-

der on Bark Fuller.

Society Sewing Class Meets.

The first meetings of the newly organized swing class for the benefit of the Lying.
In Hospital on Seventeenth street and Second avague took place vesterday forenoon. They were held at the residences of Mrs. William C. Whitney, No. 871 Fifth avenue, and of Mrs. Frederic Bronson, No. 174 Madison avenue, The invitations to oin the class were issued in the name of Mrs. Frederic Bronson, Mrs. Lloyd Bryce, Mrs. Levi P. Morton, Mrs. Laylor, Mrs. Mrs. Levi P. Morton, Mrs. Adrian Iselin, Mrs. Mrs. Levi P. Morton, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Seederley Vanderbilt, and Mrs. Mills. Hospital on Seventeenth street and Secaraum took place resterday forenoon by were held at the residences of Mrs. liam C. Whitney. No. 871 Fifth averand of Mrs. Frederic Bronson, No. Madison avenue. The invitations to the class were issued in the name of Frederic Bronson, Mrs. Lloyd Bryce, James A. Burden, Mrs. Adrian Iselin. Mrs. Levi P. Morton, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. derick Vanderbilt and Mrs. William C. Itney. There are nearly 400 members, emectings vesterday were strictly husts affairs. The women assembled at 11 ock and devoted the ensuing hour and to sewing. On their departure they ekages of work, which they will reach the manage of the management of the sewing. In Hospital on Seventeenth street and Sec-

rier Has Been Reported. March IT.—The Greater New York steported favorably in each house slature, this morning. There were reinfments to the charter adopted. But the most important action of Cities Committee was in ratospet amendments that would make the operations of the charter. NEW YORK'S LOST TRADE. FINE DAYS

Why This Port Has Suffered in Its Grain Export.

The Interstate Commerce Commission received a rast deal of enlightenment con-cerning the decline of New York's export trade yesterday. Many witnesses were placed on the stand by the New York Produce Exchange in its efforts to establish its contention that the Joint Traffic Association's maintenance of differential freight rates against New York was responsible

The net result was the showing that other DELMONICO'S NEW HOTEL

To-day raffroad officials will be examined.

INNOCENT BUT IN PRISON.

Robber Sullivan Served a Term for a Crime That Another Man Committed, but Is Guilty This Time.

MAN SHOOTS HIS CHILDREN. Awful Tragedy Committed by a Maddened

Father in Philadelphia. Philadelphia, March 17.-Frederick Franks cents a statement from Charles H. Avery, morning shot and killed his son, William,

OPERATIONS IN REALTY.

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breaks up a that hangs on.

Buyers Get Around Freely and Many Sales Result.

Plans Filed for the Singer Building Call for a Cost of \$400,000.

OLD FEUD ENDS IN A SALE

Peekamose Fishing Club Property to Be Sold by the Receiver at the Broadway Auction Room on April 15.

As the Spring grows more settled house hunters do more gerting around and the result is an increase in the number of dwell ings reported sold. Considerable activity and stone private dwelling, 20x102.2,

Mrs. Elizabeth Minturn has sold to Mrs. Emma Boynton, through Palmer & Mac-Donald, the three-story dwelling, 20 feet Henry A. V. Post has sold to William A.

Read, through Henry D. Winans & May, at about \$100,000, the four-story brown stone front dwelling, 27x100. No. 4 East Sixty-second street. Oscar Kaufman has sold to May A. Mc-Cue, through Bryan L. Kennelly, at \$16,250,

the three-story brownstone dwelling, 20x 100.5, No. 100 East Sixty-fifth street. Samuel L. Londerer has sold, through east side of Vermilyea avenue, 25 feet

north of Hawthorne street. May Tenny has sold to Mrs. Ellen T. Daniels, through Barnett & Co., the four-story brownstone front flat, 18.9x90, No. 19 One Hundred and Twenty-ninth

Mrs. Bettle Regel has sold to James D. Ausfin, at about \$25,000, the five-story dat, 25x100.11, No. 67 West One Hundred The three-story brick dwelling, 15x65.

of the Missouri Pacific Rallway Company, bat Transfers and Mortgages Recorded Yesterday in the Office of the County

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Dated New York the 17th day of March, 1897.

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